

MUCH MONEY AT MINT, BUT NOT FOR WAGES

Appropriation Urgently Needed for Pay Increase, Says Superintendent

WORKERS DESERT JOBS

Dollars facing them and dollars on every side of them, but not enough dollars to pay salaries of those who help to make dollars!

This situation may exist soon in the United States Mint in this city. About ten men employed in the Mint have resigned within the last few months.

Increases in wages for machinists, plumbers and carpenters employed at the Mint are now being arranged by Superintendent A. H. Joyce.

Blame for "scarcity in money for salaries" is placed on the delay in the passage of the urgent deficiency bill.

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The urgent deficiency bill is now in the hands of members of the joint conference committee of the House and Senate.

Appropriation Nearly Spent

The first appropriation of \$215,000, it was learned today, virtually has been expended owing to the heavy payroll at the mint.

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SEES WORLD FAMINE IN FARMERS' CRISIS

H. C. Wallace Tells Senators They Must Get Aid—Scores Food Heads

A world-wide famine is in sight unless the farmers of this country are given relief, Henry C. Wallace, of Iowa, told the Senate Agricultural Committee today.

"I don't mean to say we are going to starve to death in this country, but conditions will be serious, we are going to have a world famine," he declared.

Wallace said that in all his experience he had never seen such general discontent among the farmers.

YOUNG AVIATOR HUN VICTIM

Henry Velle, Member of Prominent Chicago Family, Killed in Combat

Chicago, March 15.—Henry Velle, friend and schoolmate of Edward Morris, head of the packing industry of Morris & Co., and one of the first of Chicago's aviators to enter the naval aviation service, has fallen to death in combat behind the German lines, his parents were notified today.

Velle, who was a member of the first flying unit to go to France, was twenty-five years of age and a member of a prominent family. His mother is visiting in Milwaukee.

"SERVE YOUR COUNTRY BY GOING TO COLLEGE"

U. of P. Bulletin Quotes President Wilson and Other Distinguished Men

In a bulletin urging that American college men continue at their studies, Provost Edgar P. Smith, of the University of Pennsylvania, is quoted, together with President Woodrow Wilson, United States Commissioner of Education P. P. Claxton, Secretary of War Newton D. Baker and General Leonard Wood.

The bulletin was issued today by the Committee of Public Safety, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Allied Bodies, and is called "Serve Your Country by Going to College."

In regard to this vital and important question Provost Smith says: "One of the greatest and saddest calamities already obvious as a lamentable result of the war for European nations is that the intellectual flower of their population is being destroyed."

WAR WORKERS REMOVE MILWAUKEE'S MAYOR

Milwaukee, March 15.—The County Council of Police by a vote of 16 to 5 has removed Mayor Daniel W. Hoan as chairman. Only Socialist members voted to retain him.

The Public Safety Commission says: "Engineers of all kinds will be needed to rebuild the new world. And what need there will be of human engineers—those who can mend broken hearts, enlighten benighted intellects, restore human friendships, establish ideals, regulate conduct, sterilize society of evil and give it moral health!"

RECORDS

VICTOR COLUMBIA WANTED

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PUBLIC SPEAKING

Self-expression, self-confidence, education and all-around self-development join the overflow class now forming.

ESTHER CLEVELAND A BRIDE

The marriage of the daughter of the late President to Captain W. S. B. Bosanquet, of the Coldstream Guards and son of Sir Albert Bosanquet, took place in Westminster Abbey.

U. S. FAVORS WATERWAY BOOSTING CITY AS PORT

Wilson and McAdoo for New York-Delaware-Chesapeake Canal, Says Moore

President Wilson and Director General of Railroads McAdoo are in favor of carrying the inland waterway from New York down to and through the Delaware River and canal to Chesapeake Bay, according to Representative J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, who based his statement on a recent conference.

"There will be in the future a co-ordination of railroads along this coast which will make two blades of grass grow where one grew before," Congressman Moore said.

"We've got to stop concentrating business at one port of the United States," he said.

Records \$9,815,000 Mortgage

Pottsville, Pa., March 15.—County Recorder Joseph Carr yesterday valued \$400 by recording a mortgage of \$9,815,000 from the Susquehanna Collieries Company to the Girard Trust Company of Philadelphia and New York.

THE PERFECT SHOES

There are other shoes that wear as well, and shoes that look as well, but only Dr. A. Reed Cushion Shoes for men and women.

Combine style and quality with absolute comfort. They bring instant relief from the aches and pains of callous, swollen joints, and weak arches.

One Pair Will Convince You

Caution: Beware of fraud. The genuine, original Cushion Shoes cannot be had anywhere in Philadelphia, except where in Philadelphia, except

No. 8 North 13th St.

By PATRICK MACGILL

Vivid, real, powerful in bringing, not simply the war to you, but you to the war.

Nothing truer or more exciting has been done in sea tales than this romance of a naval life—a delight to those who really know, an inspiration to folks on shore.

From their station with the Grand Fleet in Far Northern Waters the author follows the fortunes of his characters on trawlers, submarines, destroyers, battle-cruisers and dreadnaughts, down to the history-making Battle of Jutland.

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GEORGE H. DORAN COMPANY

THE LONG TRICK

White Pongee Silk \$1.98 to \$3.98. Exceptional qualities. Yard wide. Very fashionable. Plaid Silks, \$1.89 & \$1.98. Crepe Meteor & Satin Charmeuse, \$2.98. Black Duchesse, \$1.49 to \$1.98.

Lit Brothers. ONE YELLOW TRADING STAMP WITH EVERY 10c PURCHASE ALL DAY. HATS TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE. Market Eighth.

Buy Easter Gloves Tomorrow—A Sale! Women's \$1.75 & \$2 Kid Gloves. \$1.49. Women's Chamoisette Gloves \$1. Men's Silk Gloves, 75c.

Popular Prices Are the Big Attraction Here for the Smartest SPRING APPAREL for Misses and Women

From jaunty tailor-mades to charming afternoon and evening styles, such is the scope of our enormous Ready-to-Wear Service! It provides for every Spring need, and superior values reign throughout the section.

Misses' \$20 Coats \$15. Serge models in navy blue, black and Copenhagen—loose-hanging or shirred at waist-line; belted and trimmed with lace buttons. Also trench cloth coats in khaki color.

Misses' Smart \$25 \$30 Suits. Serge Model Illustrated. Shows braided Eton jacket & skirt in graduated tunic style, all new Spring shades. Also poplin suits in flare style, with coats slightly cutaway.

Misses' \$24.50 Velour \$19.75 Coats. Pekin, Sammy Quaker gray, buff, tan and khaki. Sailor collars are inlaid with contrasting materials.

Misses' \$39.75 Suits. Clever Serge Model Illustrated. It features a white serge vestee and collar—braided and sash tied. Smart pony models of serge, Poret twill suits with snug-fitting shoulders and sports suits of wool jersey complete this group.

Women's \$27.50 Pop- \$22.50 lin & Serge Suits. Serge suits have full ripple coat, smartly braided; over-collar of white bengaline, breast pockets and fancy lining. Pleured. The new pleated and high waistline effects are shown in other models.

Women's \$25 Dresses. Combinations of Georgette crepe and crepe tulle in the new draped style with panel front and back. Note self-lap sleeves and billete collar. Also bolers, Eton and blue in styles in serge, jersey cloth, satin and crepe de chine.

Women's Light-Weight Velour Coats \$27.50. Pekin, Quaker gray, Copenhagen and tan. Full-length models with box-plated back. Have smart collars, strappings and half linings of peau de cygne.

Men! Here's Welcome News! And Right at the Start of the Season! Spring Suits \$15, \$18, \$20

At About Cost of Making. Popular Prices Made Possible Through Our Buying the Materials Months Ago.

Smart, well-tailored garments in a wonderful assortment of styles, materials and patterns for men and young men.

Men's \$25 to \$30 ALL-WOOL SPRING TOP COATS \$15. Made by One of America's Best-Known Manufacturers—Located Right Here in Philadelphia. We Are Not Permitted to Print His Name, But—His Label Is in Every Coat.

Boys' "Dubbelbilt" Spring Suits at \$8.75. Guaranteed to wear six months. The best boys' suits we have ever seen.

19 Reasons Why Your Boy's Suit Should Be "Dubbelbilt". 1—Material of fancy cascade with crevette finish, making it shower-proof. 2—Shirred canvas coat lining for shape-retaining reason. 3—Harecloth in the non-breakable front. 4—Double interlocking seams to prevent ripping. 5—Hand-felled collar, which fits close to neck. 6—Double elbow elms. 7—Bar tacked pockets. 8—Can't-come-off buttons. 9—Cloth of selected fabric for these suits only. 10—Double stitched pants. 11—Knickerbocker pants, also cravat-cut. 12—Special seat lining. 13—Double seats. 14—Double knees. 15—Interlocking seams on pants. 16—Holproof sewn pockets. 17—Riveted pants buttons; can't come off. 18—Governor fastener at knee; a wonderful invention. 19—Pants with double bar tacked pockets. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Stetson SOFT HATS FOR MEN

\$4.50, \$5 and \$6. The Complete Spring Line. New styles, including the Stetsonian Aviator, Bassi, Stanley, Ioslyn and Philadelphia. In ivy, pea green, seal, carbon, olive and black.

Men's Felt & Derby Hats, \$1.98, \$2.49, \$3 & \$3.50. From well-known makers.

Boys' Hats, 98c to \$4.98. Lit Brothers—SECOND FLOOR, 7TH ST.

Shamrock for St. Patrick's Day

Our Sixteenth Annual Distribution of 60,000 Shamrocks (in Pots) FREE Tomorrow at 9:30 to 12 & 1:30 to 5 o'clock.

The Shamrocks are grown for us from seeds imported directly from Ireland.

COME AS EARLY TOMORROW as You Can

During the distribution popular Irish and American Patriotic Music will be played by a celebrated Banjo Orchestra.

Men Will Do Well to Buy Their Spring Furnishings Here and at This Time—For Savings Are Splendid

Men's \$4 & \$5 Art-Fiber Silk Shirts, \$2.69. High silky luster. Heavy quality and wears better than real silk. Also madras with pretty fiber stripes. Soft cuffs.

\$2 Woven-Stripe Pongee Shirts \$1.59. Pretty designs. Soft cuffs.

Crepe Faillie Neckwear, 49c. Brand new spring goods. Figures and dots on colored grounds. Full size four-in-hands with slide-easy bands. Seamless. Imperfect.

Initial Belts, 35c. Strong black leather—fabric-lined. Patented roller buckle with any initial. Adjustable to any size.

75c Thread-Silk \$1.55 Half Hose. Lisle soles and tops. Black and colors with embroidered clocks; also two-tone effects. Seamless. Imperfect.

White Waists \$1. Trimmings in color. Rose, green or blue linen collars, cuffs and bound button-holes. As sketched.

China Silk Waists, \$2.25. Light shimmering blouses smart-cuffed with striped collars and turn-back cuffs. One pictured.

Georgette Waists \$5.50. In flesh pink, white, maize or peach color with milk white or colored heading. A shimmering luster in their collars inlaid with satin. One pictured.

Everything That's New and Smart in GIRLS' SPRING WEAR

And We've Seen to It That Every Value Is a Matchless One

Shepherd Check Coats \$4.98. Belted style with double collar of self material and Persian silk. Sizes 8 to 14. Illustrated.

Wool Serge Coats \$10.98. Show contrasting collar and cuffs, belt and pockets. Sizes 8 to 14. Illustrated.

Wash Frocks, \$7.98. Lingerie Dresses, \$7.98. Wash Frocks, \$1.19 to \$6.98.

Tots' Jaunty Coats, \$2.98 to \$8.98. Of taffeta silk, shepherd check, wool serge, granite cloth, etc. Sizes 2 to 8.

Taffeta Silk Dresses \$14.98. A charming style with hemstitched Georgette crepe collar (also silk embroidery on cuffs and waist), sash which ties in back and skirt in double effects.

Colors are rose, Copenhagen, reseda and tan. Sizes 8 to 14. Lit Brothers—SECOND FLOOR.

CHIC READY-TO-WEAR HATS, Special \$2.98 & \$3.98

Every One a Charming Example of the New Spring Fashions! Some youthful and jaunty; others with a military dash and smartness; still others of matronly dignity.

Tailored Hats, \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98. Sports models in variety of colors, trimmed with ribbon.

Lisere Hraid Hats, \$2.98 & \$3.98. Dainty styles in exclusive shapes, brown, navy, sand, purple and gray. One illustrated at \$2.98.

HATS TRIMMED FREE. Lit Brothers—FIRST FLOOR, NORTH

Children's \$2 Hemp Hats \$1.29

Wanted colors with bands.

Ostrich & Burnt Plumage Fascias & Bands, 98c to \$4.98. Black, taupe, brown, sand, navy and purple. Clusters & Sprays \$49c to \$1.98 of Flowers.

Popples, buettes, daisies, roses, wheat, heather, fruits and foliage.

Lovely Hats on the Crest of Vogue—Equal to \$10 and \$15 Models Elsewhere—There is Only One Thing to Do—Buy Immediately, for There Are No Better Values!

Smart Turbans, Demure

Little Pokes, as Well as New Ideas in Wide-Brimmed Hats

Pretty Hats for Younger Girls are also here. A bright flowerlet, contrasting quill, and ribbon gives the color note.

Lit Brothers—MILL

OUR WAIST SECTION IS A CENTER OF EASTER BUYING

New waists to go with new suits and new waists to brighten up old suits—there never was a prettier showing!

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HOSIERY and UNDERWEAR

Women's \$2.25 Silk Stockings \$1.75. Black, white and spring shades. All silk with lined tops.

\$1.50 Thread-Silk \$1.35 Silk Stockings. Women's. Black and shoe shades.

Misses' & Children's Stockings, 25c, 29c, 35c. Ribbed cotton in black, white and tan. Sizes 5 to 19. (30c Stocking—3 pairs \$1.)

Women's Union Suits \$5.50. Cotton ribbed. Low neck and sleeveless; lace trimmed at knee.

Lit Brothers—FIRST FLOOR, SOUTH

"CORRECT" Shoes Are Here in Fall Assortments at Moderate Prices.

Women's Footwear. With the fashionable, long vamps. \$4, \$5, \$6 & \$7. Pumps; Colonials; Ties; Oxfords. Plain vamps; wing or straight tips.

Men's Spring Shoes. AT \$6.50 and \$7. Black gun-metal, steel, tan and blue. AT \$5—Ko Ko tan (the new shade) and gun-metal. English last.

Boys' and Girls' Shoes Many at Cost. Big Girls' Shoes \$2.29 to \$7.50. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Misses' Shoes \$2.39 to \$4.50. Sizes 1 1/2 to 2. Children's Shoes \$1.79 to \$4. Sizes 4 to 11. Little Boys' Shoes \$2.29 to \$3.25. Sizes 9 to 13 1/2.

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Lit Brothers—FIRST FLOOR, NORTH